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	Michael T. Carley, et al.)
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For:	CLOSURE DEVICE AND METHODS)
	FOR MAKING AND USING THEM)
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TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENT "B" & RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION

VIA eFILE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is the Response to the Office Action mailed May 02, 2007, for entry in the above-identified application.

 X To render the transmitted Response timely filed enclosed are the following:

- X Amendment "B" and Response
- X No other additional fee is required.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.
 - X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
 - X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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